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### CATALYST VENTURES CORP.

[CAZ-V] 3,084,899 SHS.

MARIPOSITE PROJECT TO BE DRILLED - Sue Pimiskern, president  
has reported Catalyst  
Ventures Corp. has acquired an option from **HEMLO GOLD  
MINES INC.** [HEM-T.M,AMEX] to earn a 50% interest in the  
Mariposite property consisting of eight claims located 200 km NE  
of Smithers, B.C. SEE MAP OVERLEAF P.3. To earn this 50%,  
Catalyst must spend \$2,000,000 on exploration over five years.  
Catalyst has paid the \$250,000 due for 1996. An eight-hole  
diamond drill program is scheduled for August 1996 with Hemlo as  
the operator.

Previous grab and chip sampling has returned significant and  
consistent (>500 ppb) gold values, (with assays as high as 6.7  
oz.gold/ton) over a strike length of four to six km averaging over  
one km in width. This property has potential to host a large  
mineable bulk tonnage gold system. (SEE GCNL NO.135, 12Jul96,  
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